

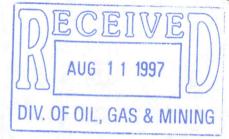
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Mr. Robert Steele 1055 North 400 East Nephi, UT 84648



Dear Mr. Steele:

On July 14, we sent you a letter regarding the start of your operation in Gardner Canyon and the changes that were needed on the irrevocable letter of credit. There was a need to add clarification to this document. In a conversation you had with Mark Sensibaugh on July 8, you stated you would make the necessary changes to the letter of credit. To date we have not received an amended letter of credit. The reclamation bond (letter of credit), which is a condition of the Special-Use Permit, needs to be amended to contain the reference to the Special-Use Permits and Chapter 8 of the Utah Code. Your cooperation in providing us with the amended version of this document is appreciated.

In response to the July 7, 1997 letter from Mr. Allen Young, regarding removal of the lock on the gate, I would like to clarify that on July 7, a Forest Service employee was at the gate at 7:00 a.m. Unfortunately, this individual did not have the right key for the lock and was unable to unlock the gate. He was trying to secure the proper key at the time you showed up and opened the gate.

If you have any questions in regard to these matters, please give me a call at (801)798-3571.

Sincerely,

THOMAS L. TIDWELL

District Ranger

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